

**BLIND, DEPARTMENT FOR THE[111]**

**Adopted and Filed**

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 216B.6, the Department for the Blind amends Chapter 1, “Administrative Organization and Procedures,” Chapter 2, “Personnel,” Chapter 3, “Department Procedure for Rule Making,” Chapter 6, “Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped,” Chapter 8, “Appeals Process—Business Enterprises Program,” Chapter 9, “Adult Orientation and Adjustment Center,” Chapter 10, “Vocational Rehabilitation Services,” Chapter 11, “Independent Living Rehabilitation Services,” and Chapter 13, “Public Records and Fair Information Practices,” Iowa Administrative Code.

These amendments update the rules by making technical and substantive changes and by eliminating subrule 1.13(4) related to tobacco use, which is now addressed by Iowa Code chapter 142D. The changes include updating the Department’s business hours, updating references to the Code of Federal Regulations, revising rule language to reflect current terminology and to delete superfluous text, revising a minimum age requirement, and making other changes to clarify existing text and procedure.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on June 27, 2012, as **ARC 0181C**. No public comment was received, and no changes were made to the noticed amendments.

After analysis and review of this rule making, no impact on jobs has been found.

These amendments are intended to implement Iowa Code chapters 17A, 216B and 216D.

These amendments will become effective January 2, 2013.

EDITOR’S NOTE: Pursuant to recommendation of the Administrative Rules Review Committee published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin, September 10, 1986, the text of these amendments [amendments to Chs 1 to 3, 6, 8 to 11, 13] is being omitted. These amendments are identical to those published under Notice as **ARC 0181C**, IAB 6/27/12.

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